

CHAPTER 2.2.4.

LEPTOSPIROSIS

Article 2.2.4.1.

Standards for diagnostic tests and vaccines are described in the *Manual*.

Article 2.2.4.2.

Veterinary Administrations of importing countries should require:

for domestic ruminants, equines and pigs for breeding [or rearing]

the presentation of an *international veterinary certificate* attesting that the animals:

- 1) showed no clinical sign of leptospirosis on the day of shipment;
- 2) were kept in an *establishment* in which no clinical sign of leptospirosis was officially reported during the 90 days prior to shipment;
- 3) were injected twice with dihydrostreptomycin at a dose rate of 25 mg per kg of live body weight at an interval of 14 days; [the second injection being given on the day of shipment (this point is subject to updating);]
- [4) when required by the importing country, were subjected to a diagnostic test for leptospirosis with negative results].